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MR. WILLIAM MCRORY

1. THE US DELEGATION TO SUBJECT CONFERENCE WILL BE
COMPOSED OF WORKING LEVEL STAFF ONLY. NEITHER
DR. GREGORY, ADMINISTRATOR, NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC
SAFETY ADMINISTRATION (NHTSA) NOR DR. MANNELLA,
ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATOR, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT
NHTSA NOR V. ESPOSITO, DIRECTOR OF ESV OFFICE WILL
ATTEND. SINCE SEVERAL HIGH LEVEL JAPANESE
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS PLAN TO ATTEND CONFERENCE
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OPENING CEREMONIES SUGGEST THAT AN APPROPRIATE

OFFICIAL FROM THE EMBASSY ATTEND THE OPENING CEREMONIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATE REMARKS. IF IN EMBASSY'S OPINION THESE REMARKS SHOULD BE MORE EXTENSIVE THEN A BRIEF GREETING PLEASE ADVISE AND SUITABLE REMARKS WILL BE FORWARDED.

2. NHTSA ALSO REQUESTS THAT AN EMBASSY STAFF MEMBER PROFICIENT IN JAPANESE ATTEND THE CONFERENCE AS A PART OF THE US DELEGATION. PAST EXPERIENCES WITH

JAPANESE FURNISHED INTERPRETERS AT INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS WAS UNSATISFACTORY AS THERE WAS MUCH CONFUSION AND UNCERTAINTY AS TO THE ACTUAL POSITION OF THE JAPANESE AND THE US.

3. PLEASE ADVISE IF THESE REQUESTS CAN BE SUPPORTED AND IF SO THE NAMES OF THE GENTLEMEN WHO WILL PARTICIPATE.

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